

Turlock Police Department

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Dear Samuel Sinyangwe:

I am in receipt of your Public Records Request dated January 31, 2019. Attached are the documents you requested pursuant to the California Public Records Act.

Item 1. The total number of police use of force incidents, broken down by type of force used, between 2013-2017

Please see attached document depicting use of force by type of force used for 2015, 2016 and 2017; 2013 and 2014 are unavailable

Item 2. The total number of people that police used force against, between 2013-2017

Please see attached document depicting use of force by month for 2015, 2016 and 2017; 2013 and 2014 are unavailable

Item 3. The total number of police use of force complaints reported between 2013-2017

Please see attached document depicting use of force complaints for 2014-2017; 2013 is no longer available per City of Turlock retention schedule.

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Item 4. The total number of police use of force complaints sustained between 2013-2017

Please see attached document depicting use of force complaints sustained for 2014-2017; 2013 is no longer available per City of Turlock retention schedule.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (209) 664-7332.

Sincerely,

LILIA FRANCO
Public Safety Records Supervisor

Use of Force by Type		Use of Force by Month		Use of Force Complaints-Reported		Use of Force Complaints 2015 0	
2015 by type		2015 by Month		2015 0			
Deadly	0	Jan	3	2016	0	2016 0	
Taser	8	Feb	3	2017	1	2017 0	
oc	6	Mar	4				
Take Down	17	Apr	3				
Personal Defense							
Weapon	23	May	5				
Impact Weapon	4	Jun	2				
Canine	0	Jul	3				
Carotid	0	Aug	3				
Less Lethal	0	Sep	7				
		Oct	8				
		Nov	3				
		Dec	4				
		Total	48				
2016 by type		2016 by Month					
Deadly	0	Jan	1				
Taser	5	Feb	2				
oc	5	Mar	2				
Take Down Personal Detense	12	Apr	4				
Weapon	13	May	3				
Impact Weapon	9	Jun	3				
Canine	0	Jul	2				
Carotid	0	Aug	1				
Less Lethal	1	Sep	3				
		Oct	7				
		Nov	6				
		Dec	2				
		Total	36				
2017 by type		2017 by Month					
Deadly	1	Jan	1				
Taser	4	Feb	1				
OC	7	Mar	2				
Take Down Personal Defense	15	Apr	5				
Weapon	7	May	6				
Impact Weapon	2	Jun	3				
Pain Compliance	2	Jul	1				
1 222	_	Aug	6				
		Sep	2				
		Oct	3				
		Nov	2				
		Dec	1				
		Total	33				

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